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***SUBJECT: RFTOP 521-07-004 IQC TASK ORDER FOR BIDDING ON  
“QUALITY BASIC HEALTH SERVICES SUPORT TO HAITI”***

Dear TASC3-Global Health Contractors,

The United States Government (USG), represented by the U.S. Agency for International Development's Mission in Haiti (USAID/Haiti), has been requested by the Mission's Health Office to negotiate a Task Order (TO) under the Technical Assistance and Support Contract (TASC 3-Global Health) IQC, as more specifically described in the rest of this Request for Task Order Proposal (RFTOP).

It is anticipated that a three year, (estimated), Cost Plus Fixed Fee Task Order (TO) will be awarded for these services. Please note, follow-on activity may result from this Task Order should the USAID's strategy be extended and additional funds approved. This work is to implement USAID's new bilateral health activity with 5 program elements: 1) HIV/AIDS; 2) Tuberculosis; 3) Maternal Health; 4) Child Health; and 5) Family Planning. This work will build on previous USAID/Haiti investments in health to support decentralization, strengthen public sector capacity in service delivery and support NGO service delivery by leveraging other donor funding.

The total estimated value of USAID's share of this procurement over three years (2007-2010) is \$43 million comprised of funding for maternal and child health including population and HIV/AIDS services. The Offeror is expected to provide a minimum of a 20% match in private sector funding (which can include in-kind and non-profit funding) annually. The 20% matching funds cannot include host government matching funds or matching funds from proposed sub-contract or sub-grant implementing partners.

If your organization is interested in submitting a Proposal in response to this RFTOP, please carefully review this letter and the contents of this request, which include:

Section

Title

Section A

Statement of Work

Section B

Instructions for Preparation of the Technical Proposal

Section C

Evaluation Criteria

It is requested that questions regarding this RFTOP be submitted by e-mail to Stephane Bright (sbright@usaid.gov), while proposals should be sent directly to me.

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Proposals are due **January 31, 2007**. See Section B for details.

Issuance of this RFTOP does not constitute an award commitment on the part of the U.S. Government, nor does it commit the U.S. Government to pay for costs incurred in the preparation and submission of proposals. Further, the U.S. Government reserves the right to reject any or all proposals received.

In addition, award of the Task Order contemplated by this RFTOP cannot be made until funds have been appropriated, allocated and committed through internal USAID procedures. While it is anticipated that these procedures will be successfully completed, potential applicants are hereby notified of these requirements and conditions for the award. Proposals are submitted at the risk of the Offeror.

Proposals should be prepared in accordance with the instructions set forth in Section B, and with Section F.9(b)(2)(i) of the basic IQC.

Thank you for your consideration of this USAID initiative. We look forward to your organization's participation.

Sincerely,



Anne Quinlan

Contracts Officer